

INFORMATION  
OF  
SPECIAL INTEREST  
OR  
IMPORTANCE  
TO  
MARINERS

**NM 46/99**

# HYDROGRAM

**National Imagery and Mapping Agency  
Bethesda, MD 20816-5003**

SPECIAL  
ANNOUNCEMENTS  
NEW PRODUCTS  
OR SERVICES  
IMPORTANT  
CHANGES

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## **INTERNATIONAL CODE OF SIGNALS**

PUB. 102 INTERNATIONAL CODE OF SIGNALS FOR VISUAL, SOUND AND RADIO COMMUNICATIONS, UNITED STATES EDITION 1969 (REVISED 1999) IS READY FOR ISSUE. SEE SECTIONS II AND III.

## **SHIP HOSTILE ACTION REPORT (SHAR)**

NIMA HAS SHAR PROCEDURES TO DISSEMINATE INFORMATION WITHIN THE U.S. GOVERNMENT ON HOSTILE OR POTENTIALLY HOSTILE ACTIONS AGAINST U.S. MERCHANT SHIPS. SHIPMASTERS SHOULD SEND A SHAR MESSAGE TO NIMA BY WHATEVER MEANS AVAILABLE IMMEDIATELY AFTER THEY HAVE ENCOUNTERED HOSTILE ACTIONS OR BECOME AWARE OF POTENTIAL HOSTILE ACTIONS WHICH CONSTITUTE A DANGER TO SHIPPING. SEE SECTION III.